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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT OF OREGON

JAMIE ELIZABETH LAFATA,

Case No. 3:20-cv-02186-BR

Plaintiff,

v.

KILOLO KIJAKAZI, ACTING COMMISSIONER, SOCIAL SECURITY,

ORDER GRANTING STIPULATED
MOTION FOR AN AWARD OF
ATTORNEY FEES PUSUANT TO THE
EQUAL ACCESS TO JUSTICE ACT
(EAJA), AND FOR AN AWARD
OF COSTS

Defendant.

This matter having come before the court upon the Stipulated Motion of the parties, and this court being otherwise fully advised

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that plaintiff is awarded Equal Access to Justice (EAJA) Fees in the amount of \$5,689.79.

IT IS FURTHER HEREBY ORDERED that under *Astrue v. Ratliff*, 130 S. Ct 2521, 2528-29 (2010), EAJA fees awarded by this Court belong to the plaintiff and are subject to offset under the Treasury Offset Program (31 U.S.C. § 3716(c)(3)(B) (2006)).

IT IS FURTHER HEREBY ORDERED that, plaintiff having assigned her right to EAJA fees to her attorney Ms. Sara L. Gabin, if the U.S. Department of the Treasury determines that ORDER GRANTING *STIPULATED* MOTION FOR AN AWARD OF ATTORNEY FEES PURSUANT TO THE EQUAL ACCESS TO JUSTICE ACT (EAJA), AND FOR AN AWARD OF COSTS

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plaintiff's EAJA fees are not subject to any offset allowed under the Department of the Treasury's Offset Program, then the check for EAJA fees shall be made payable to plaintiff's attorney.

IT IS FURTHER HEREBY ORDERED that whether the check is made payable to plaintiff or to Ms. Gabin, the check shall be mailed to Ms. Gabin at the following address: 14523 Westlake Drive, Lake Oswego, OR 97035.

IT IS FURTHER HEREBY ORDERED that plaintiff is awarded costs advanced in the amount of \$400, to be made payable to plaintiff's attorney.

IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 4th day of April, 2022.

U.S. Senior District Judge

ANNA J. BROWN